

CUPID AWAKE

And in Our Midst Making Young Hearts Happy.

On Tuesday at the Gill House at 11 o'clock J. W. Ethridge and Miss Lula Rowland, both of Enon, Caldwell county, were united in marriage by Rev. T. V. Joiner, of this city. The wedding was a quiet unheralded affair and only a few of the most intimate friends of the contracting parties were present. The attendants were Press Babb and Miss Carrie Drenning, of Enon.

The bride was dressed in white and looked very pretty. She is the daughter of B. F. and Della Rowland, and 19 years of age.

Mr. Ethridge is a young man of sterling worth, 25 years of age, an energetic and hustling farmer and blacksmith.

The happy couple will settle and make their home at Enon. The groom joins their numerous friends in wishing them long and happy lives.

TEACHERS' ANNUAL INSTITUTE HELD.

The teachers of the county met in annual Institute at the graded school building Monday, July 25. The attendance was large and that enthusiasm which is characteristic of Crittenden county teachers, was in no wise in the background.

Instructor J. C. Willis, of Lexington, was unable to be at the morning session but the time was well taken up in the organization and a very terse address by Supt. Jno. B. Paris in which he stated that in order to make their certificates valid the teachers must attend the Institute the five days. This "stand pat" for the law on the part of the Superintendent was seconded by every progressive teacher.

J. R. Glass, of Dycusburg, was elected President.

W. Hugh Watson, of Carrsville, was elected Secretary.

Proper committees were appointed and work was begun in earnest.

Prof. Willis is an instructor of well known ability, having instructed teachers' institutes throughout Kentucky and in some other states. At present, he is editor of The Kentucky School Journal and is the teacher of Psychology and Pedagogy in the Kentucky State University.

The following teachers were enrolled:

Miss Addie Boyd	R. M. Allen
" Lela Bowman	Leslie Bibb
" Clara Carter	A. A. Fritts
" Isabelle Carless	Vernon Fox
" Armada Cannan	J. R. Glass
" Anna Cannan	L. E. Hard
" Nell Champion	J. B. McNeely
" Verna Casner	T. F. Newcom
" Jennie Clement	W. K. Powell
" Ida Duval	J. A. Stevens
" Edith Davis	Wellie Simpson
" Anna Finley	C. E. Thomas
" Fannie Gray	Rufus Terry
" Maude Gill	W. O. Wicker
" Carrie Gill	Leonard Woody
" Iva Hicklin	P. M. Ward
" Margaret Moore	M. F. Pogue
" Mary E. Moore	James Paris
" Clara Nunn	C. R. Newcom
" Gertrude Nunn	F. E. Davis
" Linnie Nunn	Ceo. White
" Sadia Rankin	R. C. Moore
" Edna Roberts	H. E. Minner
" Vianna Roberts	J. T. White
" Sylvia Travis	Bruce Babb
" Bessie Trisler	R. F. Wilborn
" Mary Towery	C. E. Dye
" Fannie Walker	Clarence Ringo
" Cordia Wheeler	Kelley Simpson
" Mabel Wilson	W. J. McChesney
" Lena Woods	W. Hugh Watson
" Emma Terry	W. G. Montgomery
" Ida Bebout	Mrs. Fannie Walker

Grateful.

While here we were treated so kindly by our friends until we rested over a few days while on our way to Hampton, Ky., that we feel like publicly thanking them. We wish them blessings both spiritual and temporal, and we also thank our friends of the Christian church for the use of their house, also, we are grateful for the use of the opera house and court house.

J. J. SMITH
BERTIE CROW

LOCAL NEWS.

As Gathered by Our Efficient Correspondents.

SMITHLAND.

Echo Valley Springs are attracting many visitors to this city and our hotels are enjoying a good patronage.

There are registered Mrs. Joe Fowler Post and son, Dr. Robert Hicks and family, Mrs. Mary Alexander, Mrs. Will I Gilbert, Miss Marger Crumbaugh and Judge David Sanders, all of Paducah, at the Clark Hotel.

E. R. Anderson, of Mayfield, J. O. Rutter, of Carrsville, and W. C. Ellis are at the Drummers' Home.

At the Webb House are registered S. H. Piles, of Paducah, O. C. Lasher and W. C. Canterbury, of Hampton.

W. R. Hendrick, of Paducah, is visiting his parents, the Hon. J. K. Hendrick and wife.

Walter Neikirk and wife, of Paducah, are here, guests of Mrs. S. E. Lackey, Mrs. Neikirk's mother.

Walker Hurley, of Pan Handle, was in town Monday.

C. M. Davis and wife returned recently from a visit to Grahamville. They were accompanied home by Miss Nellie Grimes.

Eugene Sedberry returned Monday from St. Louis where he visited his brother, H. L. Sidberry and attended the Fair.

A deal has been closed between G. D. Scyster and Drs. LaRue and Adams for the sale of Scyster's big brick store building on Court street. A new firm, Adams & LaRue, will be formed, and it is said that they will put in a large stock of drugs about August 1st. Mr. Scyster will remove his stock to the Ellis building which he occupied formerly.

SISCO CHAPEL.

Crops are looking fine in this vicinity.

James Butler and wife visited their daughter in Livingston county Sunday.

Marshall Nunn made a flying trip to Blackford Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Nunn visited her brother, Bryant Nunn, Saturday night.

Dr. Franklin, of Nunn's Switch, was here last week.

Walter Enoch and family have moved to his father's farm near this place.

Wm. Lewis is on the sick list.

Misses Florence and Cora Lewis were guests of Miss Dora Elder this week.

Elder Belt and wife were guests of Mrs. Belt's brother, Oscar Lewis, of Fredonia, Saturday and Sunday.

Jasper Walker and family visited here Sunday.

Miss Victoria Sisco visited her grandmother, Mrs. Enoch, last week.

CROOKED CREEK.

Crops look fine.

R. F. Wilborn is here on a two week's visit from I. T., where he has been teaching school.

Our school begins at the Brown school house August 8, with Miss Maud Gill as teacher.

Ruth Johnson has the malarial fever.

Born, to the wife of Sells Hollo-man, a 10 pound girl July 16.

Robert McMican, of Missouri, is visiting his father, J. C. B. McMican.

William Stout had a fine mare to die last week.

Miss Ethel Hughes, of Fredonia, is visiting at P. E. Shoemaker's this week.

Mrs. Roe Gilbert visited at Ben Gilbert's last Saturday.

Walter Slaton is building a residence near the school house.

Mrs. Will Paris is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. U. G. Graves.

John Canada, of Marion, was here Sunday.

DYCUSBURG.

J. C. Griffin is having his business block repainted.

Miss Myrtle Clifton, of Ft. Smith, and Mrs. Cora Charles, of our town, will visit Marion this week.

Low water above confines navigation on the Cumberland to small boats.

Rev. W. B. Charles will leave this week to conduct the music at Hampton camp meeting.

Bennett & Cooksey are removing their stock of goods from the bank building to the old Charles stand.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ramage visited Eddyville and Kuttawa last week.

On the 18th inst., at Metropolis, Ill., Miss Nina Bennett, oldest daughter of H. B. Bennett, and Mr. J. R. Wells, youngest son of Mrs. Joe Wells, were united in marriage. Miss Mame Graves accompanied them on their marriage journey. A host of friends extend congratulations.

Mrs. Lula Bunton and family are at home after a two weeks' visit in the country.

W. B. Grove goes on record as one of our most enterprising farmers. His pastures graze the finest breed of cattle, the Red Pole, and the finest hogs, Cherry-Red Duroc Jersey, registered. Mrs. Grove adds to the interest and income of the farm by a large number of the good old breed of Plymouth Rock chickens. Mr. and Mrs. Grove think of buying a lot and building a residence in Dycusburg, a consummation we all hope for.

Miss Marion Richards and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glass are at the Crittenden county institute this week.

A new cover on the Methodist church is under contemplation.

It is whispered that wedding bells again ring in our town at an early date.

Mrs. Mary Sanders, of Livingston, is the guest of Mrs. Joe Wells.

Aunt Lizzie Perrin accompanied her daughter, Mrs. McClure, and daughter to their home in Paducah for a visit Sunday.

MEXICO.

The health of this neighborhood is not good at present.

J. T. Drennen has moved to Crayneville.

Mrs. Ida McGill is visiting at Chapel Hill.

T. A. Yandell and wife visited Rev. D. P. Campbell Sunday.

E. H. Mott is very sick.

The telephone posts have been delivered for the new line from Fredonia to Mexico.

C. A. Butler, of New Bethel, visited Will Polk this week.

Ervin Belt, of Crayneville, was here Monday.

The work is progressing nicely on the new depot.

Courtney Harris went to Wheatcroft this week.

Miss Maggie Drennen is visiting at Crayneville.

IRON HILL.

Miss Maudie Debow visited her sister, Mrs. Perry, Monday.

Ed Perry gave an ice cream supper Saturday night.

Misses Edna and Anna Roberts visited Misses Alice and Rosa Walker Sunday.

Fulton Phillips, of Texas, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. P. H. Debow and daughter, Miss Effie, left last week for Bee, Ark., to visit Mrs. Debow's son, Hugh.

Gladys, the little fifteen months old child of W. J. Hodges, died Saturday night and was buried at Sugar Grove Sunday.

Howard Phillips and Walter Travis went to Rodney Saturday and returned Sunday.

SHERIDAN.

The ice cream supper at J. D. Humphrey's was a grand success. Everybody was pleased with it.

Rev. R. A. LaRue filled the appointment of Rev. J. S. Miller at Deer Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Those who feel an interest in the graveyard at Deer Creek, and also the work of preparing for the Association are requested to meet at Deer Creek church, Monday, August 1st, to clean off the church ground and cemetery.

Lincoln Asher and family, of Livingston county, visited the family of J. D. Wiggins this week.

C. W. Cartwright was in our town Saturday, but is now in Livingston county looking after his mining interests there.

Mrs. W. F. Gardner is visiting at Carrsville this week.

Jim and Walter Wiggins and families, of Livingston county, were the guests of their father, J. D. Wiggins.

R. H. Yates has moved his saw mill to our city.

Miss Ida Bebout is attending the institute at Marion this week. She teaches in Paducah this fall.

Mrs. Essie Belt, of Tolu, visited Miss Kate Bebout Sunday.

J. C. Lime, of Indianapolis, Ind., is in our country writing life insurance. He has written several applications. Dr. J. Anthony Davidson is with him and they make a jolly pair.

J. B. Carter, Jr., and sister, Miss Clara, attended church at Deer Creek Sunday.

Messrs. Quiry and Higginson, of Union county, were in our city Saturday. They are interested in our mineral fields.

John Harpending was here last week looking after his mining interests.

Arrangements are being made for painting Deer Creek church.

Misses Thinnie and Hettie Wiggins are visiting friends and relatives in Livingston county.

Miss Nelle Hoover has returned from Marion where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Maud Gilliland, of Marion, is visiting here.

W. H. Palmer and John Mason, of Illinois, are visiting friends and relatives in our midst.

"Dr." Chas. Highers our expert barber, is visiting in Livingston county this week. He was accompanied by J. H. Wiggins. They will stay probably 2 or 3 weeks.

RODNEY.

Miss Edith Davis is attending the Institute at Marion. She will begin school here August 1st.

John Hicklin, a painter from Marion, is here this week.

The Rodney mill is in operation again.

Misses Naomi and Ruby Asher are visiting in Marion.

Harry Culley, of near Sturgis, was in our midst Saturday laying stock.

Jas. M. Davis went to Marion Saturday.

Uncle Theodore Imboden, of Sturgis, was here Wednesday.

Rev. John King, of Blackford, preached at Weston Sunday.

Wm. B. Nation, who moved to Missouri, writes that owing to the unhealthfulness of the locality, they will remove to Kentucky this fall.

Mrs. Nancy Kemp returned to Marion Sunday.

Mrs. Ida M. Roberts, of Mattoon, is here.

Guy Lamb, of Marion, was here Sunday.

Rev. Rowland preached at Rose Bud Sunday.

Misses Clara and Addie Nunn were in Sturgis Wednesday shopping.

There was a most delightful ice cream supper given at the residence of E. L. Nunn on Saturday night the 23rd.

C. J. Black & Son.

The cheapest and only first class Grocery Store in Marion. Our stock is all new, fresh and clean as a pin.

We Guarantee to Make You Prices that Cannot be Surpassed by Anyone.

We have Queensware, Graniteware and Tinware just simply at your own price. We are selling out a lot of Dinner Sets cheaper than ever before. Below you will find a list of what our stock consists. Please get our prices before buying elsewhere.

Grocery

Department.

Sugars, Teas and Coffees
Hams, Bacon and Lard
Flour, Meal and Salt
Canned Goods, Rice and Beans
Soap, Soda and Starch
Sorghum, Syrup and Jellies
Nutmeg, Cinnamon and Pepper
Chocolate, sweet and Bitter

Queensware

Department.

Dinner Sets,
Chamber Sets,
and Water Sets.
Plates, Bowls and Cuspidors
Lamps, Lanterns and Chimneys
Bowls and Pitchers, Glassware
Jugs, Crocks, Churns and Jars
Fruit Jars, Jelly Glasses, Etc.

Goods Delivered Promptly to any part of the City.

Telephone 62.

FREDONIA and KELSEY.

C. B. Loyd returned from Hot Springs last week.

Mrs. H. C. Rice, Miss Nar Nunn, Will McElroy and Kelley Landes went to Marion last week to see the ball game.

Mrs. Ashworth has been quite sick for several days.

Johnson Crider went to Marion Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Ray was very sick last week.

A protracted meeting will begin at the C. P. church next Sunday the 31st.

Albert Boaz has been right sick for several days.

Mrs. Anna Threlkeld and son, Raymond, and Miss Georgia Boaz are visiting in Indiana.

J. S. G. Green was overhauled in the field last week but is now able to be out.

Miss Mary Akridge, of Marion, was in Kelsey Sunday.

Mrs. Brindle, of Tennessee, has been visiting here several days.

Best line of neckwear in town. All the new styles. C. B. Loyd.

Mrs. Henrietta Moore visited in the Ruth neighborhood Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Al Thompson, of Kuttawa, were here Sunday.

All kinds of hats for men and boys just received at C. B. Loyd's.

M. G. Young, of New Bethel, says he has never had finer prospects for corn.

A child of Frank Riley died Saturday night.

Last week was good for us on clothing. Men's all-wool, never get rough, never fade suits at \$3.75 per suit up, does the work.

SAM HOWERTON.

Miss Nellie Davis visited in Princeton this week.

New line of Shirts and Suspenders. C. B. Loyd.

Mrs. R. C. Crow has the fever.

Full Standard prints 54c per yard. New goods, new patterns.

SAM HOWERTON.

Miss Farris, of Salem, is visiting here.

Tailor made pants \$3 to \$6.50.

SAM HOWERTON.

Mrs. J. D. Mott, of Crider, was in town the first of the week to see her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Ray.

Full line of wool and cotton dress goods. SAM HOWERTON.

MATTOON.

We are delighted with the Record.

Several from here attended the McCormick reunion at Blackford Saturday.

Jasper McDowell and sons, of Sugar Grove, visited his daughter here recently.

Harry Perkins, of Trihane, spent Friday and Saturday here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Burton is quite ill.

Wallace Clift, of Rodney, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Neele Burton visited her parents at Blackford last week.

Miss Bettie King is visiting in Marion.

Lee Brantley and family visited near Weston Sunday.

Dan Travis and family, of Marion, visited here recently.

Will Simpson has returned from Arkansas.

Miss Writtenbury has been very sick.

Will Howerton and wife spent Sunday near Perry's Ferry.

Miss Vienna Roberts is attending the Teachers' Institute in Marion.

VIEW.

Wheat threshing is in progress. Hay harvesting is about over.

Vernon Fox is attending the teachers' Institute at Marion.

The installation of the machinery at the Riley mine is about completed and will soon be ready for operation.

Bro. Falick preached a fine sermon at the brush arbor near the Hodge mines Sunday.

The machinery at the Hodge mine is being reinstalled at another shaft.

Our new mail route from Salem to Crayneville, is quite a benefit to the many people along the line. Mr. Hale, the mail-carrier, is very kind and obliging.

C. P. Church, Colored, Holds Session.

The Kentucky Synod of the C. P. church, colored, held its session in Marion July 21 to 24.

Rev. W. L. Clark was Moderator and Rev. E. J. Simpson was State Clerk.

This church organization seems much alive to present day issues, such as education, organic union, etc., they voting in affirmative on union of the great Presbyterian churches in the United States.

Among the visiting preachers were Revs. Doshong and Gibson, of Indianapolis, Ind., and Hyde, of Bowling Green, Ky. The latter lectured at the M. E. church Monday evening. He is traveling in the interest of the Bowling Green Academy.

Rev. Gibson, who has traveled much in this country and in Europe, paid his colored brethren at Marion a high compliment when he said that he considered the colored people of Marion above the average morally, intellectually and spiritually.

Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of Nathan R. Black, Jr., will present same properly proved on or before August 30, 1901, or be forever barred.

MARY J. BLACK.